

THE LAW COURTS 800 SMITHE STREET VANCOUVER, B.C. V6Z 2E1

Notice to the Profession, the Public and the Media

Grace Period to February 26, 2021 for Registry Acceptance of Former Supreme Court Family Forms

By Order in Council 26/2021, approved and ordered on January 25, 2021, the following Supreme Court Family Forms were amended effective January 25, 2021:

- F3 Notice of Family Claim
- F4 Response to Family Claim
- F5 Counterclaim
- F8 Financial Statement

I have directed that Registry staff will accept either the former Forms F3, F4, F5 and F8 or the new Forms as amended by Order in Council 26/2021 up to and including **February 26, 2021**.

By Order in Council 467/2020, approved and ordered on August 10, 2020, multiple Supreme Court Family Forms will be amended effective March 1, 2021, including Forms F3, F4 and F5.

Effective March 1, 2021, Registry staff will no longer accept the former Forms F3, F4, F5, and F8, and will only accept Supreme Court Family Forms as amended by Order in Council 467/2020 and Order in Council 26/2021.

Dated February 3, 2021, at Vancouver, British Columbia

By Direction of Chief Justice Christopher E. Hinkson Supreme Court of British Columbia